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For: DISHWASHER HAVING A LOCK WITH AN ELASTIC COUPLING

## **AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In further response to the Examiner's Final Office Action dated May 17, 2006, the following claim amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application as a submission under 37 CFR §1.114(c) as part of a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) filed on even date herewith.